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MEDIA BUREAU ANNOUNCES COMMENT AND REPLY COMMENT DATES FOR THE NOTICE OF INQUIRY IN THE VIDEO DEVICE COMPETITION PROCEEDING

Comment Date: July 13, 2010

Reply Comment Date: August 12, 2010

On April 21, 2010, the Commission adopted a *Notice of Inquiry* in the *Video Device Competition*; *Implementation of Section 304 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996: Competitive Availability of Navigation Devices; Compatibility Between Cable Systems and Consumer Electronics Equipment proceeding.* In the *Notice of Inquiry*, the Commission requests comment on ways to foster a more competitive marketplace for navigation devices and in particular calls for comment on a standardized interface that enables smart video devices to bring video from a variety of sources, including, for example, cable or satellite, online video, and a consumer's home library, together for ease of selection, recording, and viewing. The *Notice of Inquiry* set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 60 and 90 days after publication of the *Notice of Inquiry* in the Federal Register.

On May 14, 2010, a summary of the *Notice of Inquiry* was published in the Federal Register.³ Accordingly, comments must be filed on or before July 13, 2010; and reply comments must be filed on or before August 12, 2010. Commenters should follow the filing instructions in the *Notice of Inquiry* beginning at paragraph 47. The *Notice of Inquiry* is available at: http://hraunfoss.fcc.gov/edocs_public/attachmatch/FCC-10-60A1.doc.

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¹ Video Device Competition; Implementation of Section 304 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996: Competitive Availability of Navigation Devices; Compatibility Between Cable Systems and Consumer Electronics Equipment, FCC 10-60, FCC Rcd (rel. April 21, 2010).

 $^{^{2}}$ *Id.* at ¶¶ 15-45.

³ 75 Fed. Reg. 27264 (2010).